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VARIABLE VALVE ACTUATION CONTROL FOR OPERATION AT

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REQUEST FOR CORRECTION OF INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Applicants inadvertently included an incorrect patent copy corresponding to

Japanese Patent No. 2000145484 listed on the Information Disclosure Statement filed on

November 9, 2004 in the above application. A correct copy of the Japanese patent, along
with an English language abstract, is attached.

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner replace the prior submitted patent copy and abstract with the attached correct patent copy and abstract.

Respectfully submitted,

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